# PARIS CENTRAL

### **PUBLIC SCHOOL**



**SCHOOL NEWSLETTER** 

**LATE JUNE 2024 EDITION** 

## Important Dates To Remember

June 27 Last Day of School
June 28 PA Day – No School
Sept. 2 School Holiday
Sept. 3 First Day of School
Sept 12 Meet the Teacher
Sept 13 PA Day

### **Parent Council Meeting**

Come and join our Parent Council Committee.

The Parent Council meets regularly to support and promote student learning, achievement, and parent involvement in our school. Notice of meetings will be shared in the school newsletter, posted on our website and the front school signage board. Information can be found on the Parent Council bulletin board in our front hallway. Contact the school if you would like to get involved.

Hope to see you then!

Dear Paris Central Families,

It is with mixed emotions that I write this message to let you know that I will be retiring and leaving Paris Central School.

As I reflect back on my time as Principal here, and my work with students, staff and the community, I am thankful for the opportunity to have served you, worked, and learned with you during our time together. In my term here as Principal, I am most appreciative of the relationships I have had the opportunity to develop with our school community.

I feel confident and reassured that as I leave Paris Central School, the students, staff and families will continue to work together on our shared vision of "Lead. Learn. Inspire." The school is in a good position to move forward positively during this time of transition, and the initiatives that we had planned will carry forward, and be communicated to the new Principal, Mr. Adam Walker.

I know that our school community will warmly welcome Mr. Walker as Principal and will support his transition to Paris Central in September 2024.

On a personal note, thank you for your continued support and collaboration, as I truly believe that our children benefit most when we work together for their achievement and well-being. I will always treasure my time here at Paris Central, and the fond memories I have of the school community. It will be sad to say goodbye to our students, staff and families!

Sincerely, Latha Reuben, Principal



I would like to thank the staff, students, and families of Paris Central for all the support over the last eleven years. It has been my pleasure getting to know each and every one of you!

While I am looking forward to retirement, I will miss the smiles, the laughter, and the camaraderie that echoes through the halls.

Thank you for your kind words and well-wishes as I move on to a new chapter in my life.

Please join me in welcoming Laura Fox as the new Secretary at Paris Central in September.

Sincerely, Mrs. Nicholas

### Puma News

This past year has been an amazing and busy year at Paris Central School. It was a year filled with many academic and athletic opportunities for our students. Our student year-end trips included Camp Olympia, Echo Bowling, Glenhyrst Art Gallery, Mohawk Park, Covermead Farm, Apps Mills, Myrtleville House, Brantwood Farms, Adventure Village, and Lions Park. This month, our students also participated in the School Talent Show, Regional and County Track and Field, Running Club, Primary Fun Day, Swim to Survive, School Dance, Pride Spirit Day, and our school assemblies.

### Our Play Day on June 26 was a big hit.



Students enjoyed the day outdoors playing organized games and competing with teams.



Paris Central staff and students showed their appreciation to our volunteers by hosting a lunch for them on June 7. We could not be the school that we are without the support and kindness offered ball our community volunteers. Thank you!





Report cards went home on June 24. Parents and/or guardians, please sign the last page of the report card and return it to the school prior to June 27.



On behalf of the staff at Paris Central, I would like to wish all our grade 8 graduates the absolute best as they venture off to high school. We wish all our returning students an incredibly

happy and safe summer and look forward to seeing you all in September. Enjoy the sun, the warmth, and everything glorious that summer has to offer. Have a safe summer!



The following is our tentative staff and classroom organization for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year. Please note that many things tend to change over the summer or even the beginning of the school year.

#### **School Staff**

JK/SK Mrs. Ramoutar, Miss Buckley & DECE Mrs. Sarkissian

JK/SK Mrs. Childs & DECE TBD

Grade 1 Mrs. Steckle

Grade 1/2 Mrs. Sloss

Grade 2/3 Mrs. Stewart

Grade 3 Mrs. Taylor

Grade 4 Mr. Muller

Grade 5 Mr. Lawrence

Grade 6 Miss Renton

Grade 7 Miss Kitchen

Grade 8 Mr. Mike

French/Prep Mme. Stevenson

Prep Ms. Hendel

Half Time Prep/Library Ms. Deruytter

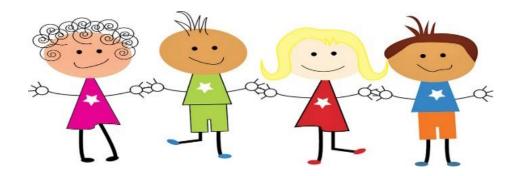
Learning Resource Teacher Mr. Hunter

Educational Assistants Mrs. Johnson & TBD

Daytime Custodian Mr. Clingersmith

School Secretary Ms. Laura Fox

School Principal Mr. Adam Walker



# Daily Schedule Office hours: 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

First Bell 9:00 am

Instructional Block 9:00 am – 10:40 am
First Nutrition Break 10:40 am - 11:20 am
Instructional Block 11:20 am – 1:00 pm
Second Nutrition Break 1:00 am – 1:40 pm
Instructional Block 1:40 pm - 3:20 pm

School Dismissal 3:20 pm

On the first day of school, all students, including our JK and SK friends, please enter the school yard. Your respective teachers will be waiting to greet you and escort you to your classroom when the bell rings. See you on September 3!

#### **Kindergarten Registrations**

Kindergarten registrations are open. Please visit <a href="https://www.granderie.ca/">https://www.granderie.ca/</a> to register your child. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the school.

ith a heavy heart, Paris Central School will be bidding goodbye to some of our staff members. We will be parting ways with Mrs. Whyte, Mrs. Pettman, Miss Pike, Miss Brown, Mrs. Nicholas, and Ms. Reuben. We are thankful to Miss Davila for all her hard work at Paris Central this past year. We wish them well in their future endeavours. You will all be greatly missed.

Thank you to all the families who contributed to the school by buying pizza, pasta, subs, popcorn, and freezies. These funds were used for bussing field trips, subsidizing some school trips, Grade 8 graduation, and student resources. Your support has enhanced learning experiences for students at Paris Central. We couldn't do it without you. Thank you!





### **School Transportation News**

Moving over the summer? Let transportation know so that your new address is ready to receive services for September!

If you are moving over the summer, please let transportation know what your new address is so that they can plan services for you for the new school year. Transportation staff are working over the summer months and are happy to process any changes at that time. Please use the form below to generate the update to your address for transportation:

 $\underline{https://transinfobhn.ca/Workflow/Forms/CA\_ON\_STSBHN/TransportationRequestV2.aspx?FormVersionId=57fc330e-c9f2-4140-89d5-cfe8ded7d076}$ 

Looking to accessing transportation details for September (bus stop location, time, etc.)? Access to the transportation portal, available at <a href="https://transinfobhn.ca/Login">https://transinfobhn.ca/Login</a>, will be opened to the public on August 14th, 2024, beginning at 13:00. If services on the portal are not accurate or if you have questions, please contact transportation directly to discuss. Transportation can be reached by emailing <a href="mailto:transportation@stsbhn.ca">transportation@stsbhn.ca</a> or by calling 519-751-7532. Updates received before 12:00 noon on August 28, 2024, will be in effect for the first day of school. Any requests received after this time will start the following Monday.

### Paris Before and After School Care

Hello Families,

We at Paris Child Care are happy to announce that we will continue our before and after school program at Paris Central School and you may now apply for a space through the Brantford/Brant One

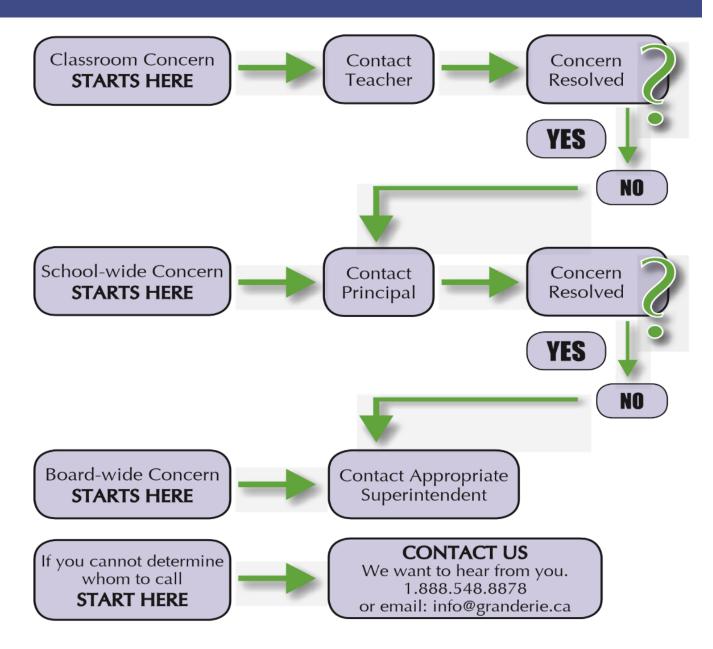
List. Our Before and After school program is for our JK/SK(4-6years) and School age children (6-12 years). We are open at 7am for drop off and staff get the children to class and then pick them up at the end of the day and we are open until 5:30pm. We offer full and part time spaces at a daily rate. Please use the link <a href="https://brantford.onehsn.ca/">https://brantford.onehsn.ca/</a> for more information and a fee breakdown. We look forward to seeing you all in September. Have a safe and happy summer.

Courtney Lindlau, RECE Manager – School age Programs **Paris Child Care Inc** 519-442-5850 or 519-442-0900





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